

For the salary of the chairman of the board of registration in dentistry, the sum of two hundred dollars; for the salary of the secretary of the board of registration in dentistry, the sum of two hundred dollars; for the salaries of the other members of the board of registration in dentistry, the sum of three hundred dollars; for traveling expenses of the board of registration in dentistry in attending meetings of the board, a sum not exceeding four hundred dollars; and for clerical services, postage, printing and other necessary expenses in connection with the board of registration in dentistry, a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars.

Board of registration in dentistry.

SECTION 2. On and after the first day of July any sums of money remaining to the credit of the Board of Registration in Medicine Fund, the Board of Registration in Pharmacy Fund, and the Board of Registration in Dentistry Fund, may be transferred by the treasurer and receiver general to the revenue of the Commonwealth.

Certain sums may be transferred to the revenue of the Commonwealth.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect on the first day of July in the year nineteen hundred and two.

To take effect July 1, 1902.

*Approved June 27, 1902.*

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR PAYMENT BY THE CITY OF BOSTON OF THE WHOLE EXPENSE OF CONSTRUCTING AND MAINTAINING SEWERS IN THAT CITY FOR THE DISPOSAL OF SURFACE DRAINAGE.

*Chap. 526*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. The expense of the construction and maintenance of sewers in the city of Boston designed for the disposal of surface drainage solely shall be borne wholly by the said city.

Payment of expenses of construction, etc., of certain sewers in Boston.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved June 27, 1902.*

AN ACT RELATIVE TO ASSESSMENTS OF BETTERMENTS FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

*Chap. 527*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. The board of street commissioners of the city of Boston, within one year after the day of the passage of this act, may determine the value of the benefit or advantage to each and every parcel of real estate in said city beyond the general advantage to all real estate therein from any public improvement completed by the city within six

Assessments of betterments for certain public improvements in Boston.

years before said day, consisting of laying out, relocating, altering or widening, with or without construction or sewer, a highway, or a highway and parkway, public way or public alley, or of changing the grade of, or constructing with or without a sewer, a highway, or a highway and parkway, and may assess on each such parcel a proportional share of such part not exceeding one half as the board shall deem just of the expenses incurred by the city for such improvement, exclusive of the expenses for sewers and their connections in excess of four dollars per linear foot thereof, and exclusive of all expenses for surface drainage and for water pipes, gas pipes and their connections: *provided, however*, that no assessment on any parcel of real estate shall exceed the value of said benefit for that parcel, and that no parcel of real estate for which any assessment on account of any such improvement shall have been paid and not recovered back shall be subject to the payment of another assessment for that improvement; and *provided, further*, that no land within any location of a railroad company shall be subject to such assessment. If said board shall make, under the provisions of this act, a new assessment for any such improvement, any person on whose real estate a prior assessment on account of such improvement has been made and has not been wholly paid, or has been paid under protest and a suit brought within three months after the payment for recovery thereof be pending, may file with the board an application for a revision of the prior assessment, and the board shall, if necessary to make the prior assessment conform to the new assessment, revise and reduce the amount thereof, and give a certificate for payment of any part of a prior assessment paid under protest, or remit any unpaid excess of a prior assessment over the amount of the new assessment; and the city treasurer shall repay any amount authorized by the certificate from the appropriation from which said expenses were paid.

Provisos.

Certain provisions of law to apply, etc.

SECTION 2. The provisions of sections fifteen to eighteen, inclusive, of chapter three hundred and twenty-three of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one, as amended, so far as they are applicable and not inconsistent herewith, shall apply to assessments made under this act, or made before its passage; but petitions under said section fifteen filed on account of assessments made

before the passage of this act may be filed only within one year after the passage.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved June 27, 1902.*

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE CONSTRUCTION AT DEDHAM OF A BUILDING FOR THE REGISTRIES OF DEEDS AND OF PROBATE AND FOR THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF NORFOLK.

*Chap.528*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section two of chapter two hundred and eighty-four of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and one is hereby amended by striking out in lines six to ten, both inclusive, the words "Such approval shall not be given until the board is convinced that the cost of the building, ready for the use of said registries and court, and of the offices incident thereto, will not exceed the sum of two hundred thousand dollars", so as to read as follows: — *Section 2.* No contract shall be made for the construction of said building until plans have been submitted by the county commissioners to a board consisting of the judge of probate, the register of probate, and the register of deeds, for the county of Norfolk, and have been approved by said board.

1901, 284, § 2, amended.

Plans to be approved.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved June 27, 1902.*

AN ACT RELATIVE TO MUNICIPAL PARTIES IN THE CITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

*Chap.529*

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

SECTION 1. Any association of legal voters in the city of Cambridge which, First, For ten successive years previous to the passage of this act shall have nominated by caucuses or conventions candidates for any municipal office under a distinctive name; or Second, Which for the preceding municipal election shall have nominated by caucuses or conventions a candidate for mayor who received at least ten per cent of the entire vote polled in said city for that office; or Third, Which has filed with the city clerk, at least sixty days before the annual city election, a petition for separate caucuses, signed by at least three per cent of the registered voters of said city, shall so far as municipal elections in said city are con-

Certain associations of legal voters in Cambridge to be deemed political parties for municipal elections, etc.